BEFORE

THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF

SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 2001-47-C - ORDER NO. 2001-966

SEPTEMBER 27, 2001

IN RE:	Application of Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Interexchange Telecommunications Services within the State of South Carolina, and for Alternative))))	ORDER APPROVING WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION
	Regulation.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("the Commission") on the request of Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. ("Pac-West" or the "Company") to withdraw its Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold intrastate interexchange telecommunications services in the State of South Carolina. By letter dated September 19, 2001, counsel for Pac-West informed the Commission that the Company wishes to withdraw its pending Application. Pac-West provides information that the Company has changed its business plans concerning expansion into South Carolina due to financial difficulties in the capital markets and the economy in general.

Upon consideration of this matter, the Commission concludes that the request of Pac-West to withdraw its Application should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The request of Pac-West to withdraw its Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a reseller of intrastate interexchange telecommunications services within the State of South Carolina is granted.

2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

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ATTEST:

Executive Director

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